

## **Amendments to the Specification:**

Please amend the second and third paragraphs of page 7 of the specification as follows:

A putter toe line 32 is disposed upon surface 24 parallel to longitudinal axis 26, and a putter heel line 34 disposed upon surface 24 parallel to longitudinal axis 26. In an embodiment of the invention, putter toe line [34] 32 and putter heel line [36] 34 are about one quarter of an inch wide. Putter toe line 32 and putter heel line 34 have outside boundaries 36 and 38 respectively. A perpendicular distance D (perpendicular to longitudinal axis 26) between outside boundary 36 of putter toe line 32 and outside boundary 38 of putter heel line 34 is about five inches, which is about length LH of putter head 600 (refer to FIG. 4). As such, putter head 600 may be placed upon surface 24 of practice putting pad 20 so that the toe 602 of putter head 600 resides on or near putter toe line 32 and the heel of putter head 600 resides on or near putter heel line 34 (refer to FIG. 4). In the shown embodiment putter toe line 32 and putter heel line 34 are broken by indicia, PUTTER TOE and PUTTER HEEL respectively, however the broken lines may be mentally extended through the indicia by the golfer.

In an embodiment of the invention, sheet 22 has a length L of about 26 inches and a width W of about five and one half inches. A circle 40 of about the diameter of a golf ball 700 is disposed upon surface 24 of sheet 22, the center of circle 40 defining a ball positioning point 42. Circle 40 serves as a guide when placing a golf ball 700 upon surface 24 (refer to FIG. 4). Also, a centerline 44 is disposed upon surface 24 parallel to longitudinal axis 26, wherein centerline 44 is equidistant between [said] putter toe line 32 and [said] putter heel line 34. A first